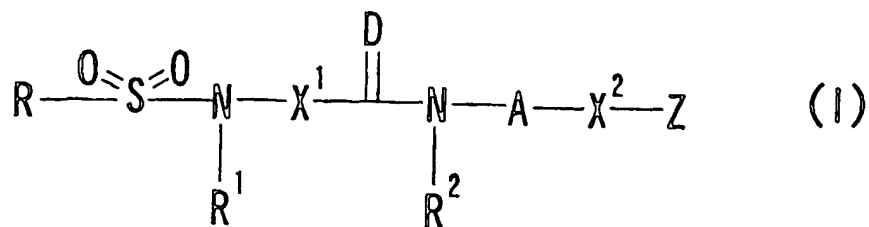


ABSTRACT

Novel acylhydrazine derivatives exhibiting an inhibitory activity against activated blood coagulation factor X, which are compounds of general formula (I)



or salts thereof, wherein R is an optionally substituted hydrocarbon group or an optionally substituted heterocyclic group; R^1 and R^2 are each hydrogen or optionally substituted hydrocarbyl, or alternatively R^1 and R^2 or the substituent of X^1 and R^2 may be united to form an optionally substituted ring; X^1 and X^2 are each free valency, optionally substituted alkylene, or optionally substituted imino; D is oxygen or sulfur; A is $-\text{N}(\text{R}^3)-\text{Y}-$ or $-\text{N}=\text{Y}-$, R^3 is hydrogen, optionally substituted hydrocarbyl, or acyl; Y is an optionally substituted chain hydrocarbon group or an optionally substituted cyclic group; and Z is (1) optionally substituted amino, (2) optionally substituted imidoyl, or (3) an optionally substituted nitrogenous heterocycle group.